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MECKLENBURG LEADER IN FEBRUARY GIVING

Interesting Observations Possible After February. Thanksgiving Offering Is \$50,799.49

Mecklenburg Presbytery held the spotlight of attention in the February giving to the Orphanage, sending \$831.10 regularly and \$1,023.98 Thanksgiving Offering for a total of \$1,855.08 and a per member average of 10.7 cents for that month. The total receipts from Synod were \$3,160.11 regularly and \$1,632.87 Thanksgiving Offering, which makes an aggregate of \$4,792.98 for the month. It meant that Mecklenburg Presbytery sent 38.7% of all that the Orphanage received in February.

This larger giving from Mecklenburg, however, did not alter its standing in the Presbytery, for it remained in fourth place. The standing of seven Presbyteries remained unaltered when compared with the January rating, the only changes occurring between Albemarle and Concord Presbyteries. Albemarle nosed ahead of Concord to take second place, sending Concord Presbytery back to third berth. Only four-tenths of a cent separate these two Presbyteries.

The Thanksgiving Offering from Synod on February 28th was \$50,799.49. Every Presbytery, except Wilmington, had passed the 1935 Offerings. Wilmington lacked only \$38.93 of coming up to its '35 Thanksgiving aggregate. The Thanksgiving Offering and the amount from each Presbytery is as follows:

Presbytery	1935 Final	1936 To 2-28-37
Albemarle	\$ 2,171.90	\$ 3,663.42
Concord	9,661.72	10,276.34
Fayetteville	4,034.73	4,334.57
Granville	3,181.28	3,481.68
Kings Mtn.	2,806.06	3,908.83
Mecklenburg	10,685.00	11,691.18
Orange	6,836.29	7,749.28
Wilmington	2,142.31	2,103.38
Winston-Salem	2,935.27	3,590.81

Totals \$44,454.56 \$50,799.49

The Synod of North Carolina has shown an increase of 12.2 cents per member over the same period of 1935-1936. Albemarle Presbytery continues its leadership with the largest increase of 31.1 cents per member. Other increases are Kings Mountain Presbytery, 26 cents; Mecklenburg, 15.2; Granville and Orange, 12.9 cents each; Winston-Salem, 10.7; Fayetteville, 6.2; Concord, 5.8 cents, and Wilmington, 4 cents per person.

Albemarle, Granville and Kings Mountain Presbyteries have already given more per member during the 11 months of 1936-1937 than have passed than was contributed in the full year of 1935-1936. Congratulations to them!

Standing of the Presbyteries last month, a year ago and today is as follows:

Presbytery	Last Month	Year Ago	Today
Winston-Salem	1st	1st	1st
Albemarle	3rd	3rd	2nd
Concord	2nd	2nd	3rd
Kings Mountain	4th	5th	4th
Mecklenburg	5th	4th	5th

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Notice Treasurers

All treasurers of Churches, Sunday Schools and Auxiliaries are urged to place the final checks for the Orphanage in the mail not later than the morning of March 30th so that the contributions can reach the Orphanage on March 31st, the date when the 1935-1936 fiscal year ends. It may be impossible for some few checks to reach the institution by the 31st, so the receipt books will be open a few days to receive these. However, it is hoped that the majority of the funds will be received by the closing date, and that final receipts the early part of April will constitute only a small part of the income for the Loyalty Month.

BARIUM MATMEN ARE AGAIN STATE CHAMPS

Win Title for Fourth Year in Succession.—Three Individuals Win Crowns

Contrary to general expectations and to the pleasing surprise of everybody at the Orphanage, the Barium Springs wrestlers last month won the state high school mat title for the fourth year in succession. The tournament was staged at Chapel Hill February 17th and 18th, and when the score was tabulated it was found that Barium had amassed 50 points, next to the largest number of counters garnered by Barium in the three prior years when the state crown was annexed.

Greensboro high was runner-up with 39 points, and other schools scoring were: Durham high, 37; Thomasville, 17; Mount Airy, 15; Salisbury, 14, and Burlington 1.

Three of the Orphanage boys returned to the campus Friday night, February 19th, bringing back with them the individual title in their respective weights. These were Capt. Beshears, in the 125-pound class; Eugene Bosworth, 135-pound, and Donaldson in the 145-pound weight. Two years ago, Bosworth won the state crown in his weight, but lost it last February. Two other of the Barium matmen, Bobby Bosworth and Bolton, participated in the finals, but lost their matches on time decisions. This gave the Orphanage five performers in the closing matches. Capt. Beshears was the only wrestler to pin his opponent in the finals.

In the preliminaries, Barium accounted for 20 points. Greensboro closely trailed with 18. In the semi-finals, Barium's margin was lengthened to 39 points, as against 33 for Greensboro. Both Barium and Greensboro had five performers in the finals, but only two of the Gate City's grapplers won their matches.

The seven Barium wrestlers who went to Chapel Hill and their performances throughout the meet follow:

108-pound Class—B. Bosworth time of 32 seconds over Witt (Mount Airy); he pinned Meyers (Continued On Page Three)

217 CHURCHES AHEAD OF GIVING OF 1935-'36

This Is an Accomplishment in 11 Months, As Compared to 12 Months of Last Year

At the end of February, the eleventh month of the 1936-1937 fiscal year, 217 churches or mission points in the Synod of North Carolina had either equalled or exceeded the total that was contributed to the Orphanage in the full 12 months of the preceding year. Many churches were within a few dollars of last year's aggregates on February 28th, and a few of them were within the range of a few cents. One of the churches lacked only a penny of reaching last year's total. Indication point to many churches entering this classification before the year is concluded.

Apportioned by Presbyteries, the report shows that 22 have accomplished this in Albemarle Presbytery, 26 in Concord, 33 in Fayetteville, 11 in Granville, 23 in Kings Mountain, 33 in Mecklenburg, 26 in Orange, 22 in Wilmington, and 21 in Winston-Salem.

The 217 churches and mission points doing this are as follows:

Albemarle Presbytery—Bethlehem, Calvary, Falkland, Farmville, Fountain, Greenville, Hollywood, Howard Memorial, Jason, Kinston, LaGrange, Macclesfield, Mayo, New Bern, Roberson's, Rocky Mount First, Rocky Mount Second, Snow Hill, Sugg's Cross Roads, Williamston, Wilson, William and Mary Hart.

Concord—Arrowood, Back Creek, Bethany, Bridgewater, Centre, Clio, Concord First, Drusilla, Fairview, Fifth Creek, Fowe-Harris, Glen Alpine, Gilwood, Landis, Lenoir, Marion, Mooresville First, McDowell, McKinnon, Newton, Old Fort, Park Place, Patterson, Shearer, Taylorsville, West Marion.

Fayetteville—Berea, Bluff, Bronson Memorial, Cameron Hill, Cedar Rock, Comfort, Culdee, Cypress, Dunn, Erwin, Grove, Galatia, Gibson, Gilmore Memorial, Highland, Ida Mill, Lakeside, Lillington, Midway, Mile Branch (same), McMullan, Mount Tabor, Parkton, Providence, Raven Rock, Sardis, South Fayetteville, Springwood, Sunnyside, Union, Vass, Westminster, Wildwood.

Granville—Buffalo Vanguard, Centre Ridge, Fairview, Fuller Memorial, Hebron, Henderson, Mount Pleasant, Oxford, Raleigh First, Varina, West Raleigh.

Kings Mountain—Armstrong Memorial, Bessemer City, Bostic, Cherryville, Columbus, Covenant, Cramerton, Gastonia First, Goshen, Hephzibah, Ironton, Machpelah, Mount Holly, Olney, Rutherfordton, Saluda, Shelby, Spindale, Stanley Creek, Tryon, Union Mills, Unity, West Avenue.

Mecklenburg—Altan, Amity, Badin, Bethlehem, Beulah (same), Biscoe, Camden, Charlotte Second, Ellerbe, Indian Trail, Lee Park, Lilesville, Mark's Creek, Marshville, Matthews, Monroe, Morven, Mount Carmel, Mount Gilead, Myers Park, Nevin, Norwood, Philadelphia, Plaza, Polkton, Robinson, Rockingham, Rourke's, Salem, Siler, Unionville, West Avenue, Wilmore.

Orange—Alamance, Asheboro, Bethany, Bethesda, Buffalo (L), Burlington First, Cummock (same), East Burlington, Efland, Gilead, Graham, Greensboro First, Griens, Goldston, Gulf, Haywood (same), High Point First, Little River, Milton, New Hope, Pleasant Grove, Pocket, Riverview, Shiloh, Speedwell, Yanceyville.

Wilmington—Ashwood, Bethel, Bowden, Brown Marsh, Burgaw, Calypso, Caswell, Croatan, Currie, Delgado, Elkton, Faison, Hebron, Hopewell, Immanuel, Mount Olive, Oak Plain, Pollocksville, Teachey, Topsail, Wallace, Warsaw.

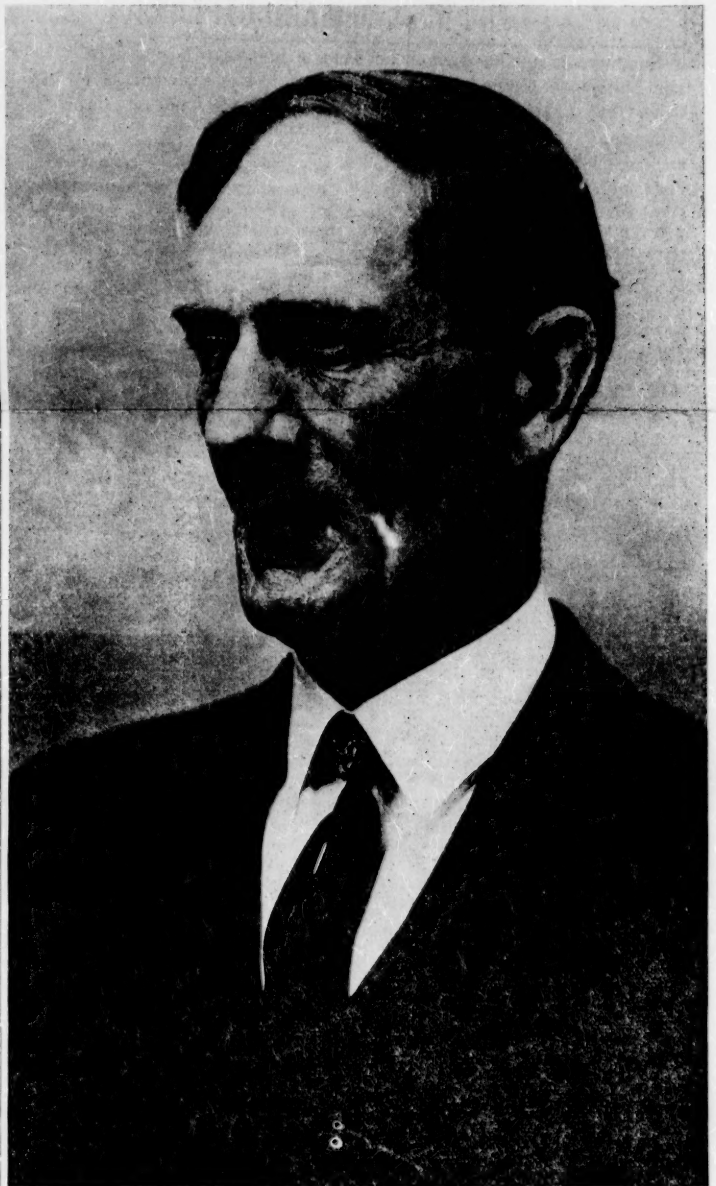
Winston-Salem—Asbury, Beulah, Big Ridge, Boggs, Carson Memorial (same), Collinstown, Danbury, Geo. W. Lee Memorial, Hills, Laurel Fork, Loggins, Miller's, (Continued On Page Four)

The Trouble-Shooting Department

Last month our article was on the Infirmary, the place that everybody thinks of whenever they get to feeling badly - a stumped toe, a stomach-ache, a headache, or sometimes a hard lesson - and we have Miss Moore taking our temperature right quickly. This month we are wanting to talk about another department somewhat similar. If anything goes wrong outside of our bodies, we think of one man. If it is the light that won't light; if the radiators won't heat; if the sewer gets stopped up; if the refrigerator won't fridge, it is always, "Send for Mr. Grier," and you'd be surprised how many times Mr. Grier is sent for.

Mr. Grier and his department have charge of the heat, the light, power, the water, the sewage and all the things and mechanical appliances connected with these. It may be a potato-peeler that won't function properly; it may be a bread-cutter that takes a notion that it's a mangle, or it may be the cold storage rooms that refuse to get cold, or get too cold. All of these call for the attention of Mr. Grier.

You folk who are fond of statistics could just revel in statistics in this department. There are 311 children at Barium Springs at the present. The average number to a room is six. There are 45 teachers, matrons and other workers at Barium and that means about 40 more rooms. There is an average of two electric lights to a room. You know how frequently a light gives trouble! Then, there is the big dining room with its 39 big lights; the auditorium with its 12; the school buildings, the playrooms, the study halls, the living rooms, all with special light fixtures. And then there are radios, hot plates and electric irons and one electric train, a big electric oven; three electric cook stoves; six frigidaires; electric cooling system for chilling and aerating the milk at the dairy barn; something like 20 motors doing everything from running a printing press, a linotype machine, well-pumps, a circulating hot-water system, to the motors that pull the cold



MR. S. A. GRIER

storage outfit. All of this is just one part of Mr. Grier's responsibilities.

Take the water system. There are three deep wells. All of them give a different sort of water. The one that furnishes the least water has the best water in it. Mr. Grier arranges it so that that well is used during the day when the laundry is running and when most of the drinking water is used. Then at night, that well is shut off and another well is put on. The latter is a well that has the most water, but more mineral in it. It is water which, if used in the laundry, would stain the clothes and would make our tea turn black instead of a nice clear pink. However, this water (with its mineral content) is perfectly good for all other purposes, including the swimming pool. The horses and cows do most of their heavy drinking at night and they get this mineral water which is not so valuable for laundry water. Nobody could quite work out this combination so well as Mr. Grier does. It takes constant attention to detail to keep things going in this line without endless difficulty.

Here is an interesting development in this particular department. People continue to laugh about the old "Saturday night bath", and maybe the young folk today think it is just a joke and that it never actually was just that way. We old-timers know differently; we know that the business of bathing was not just a casual event that it is today. It was an occasion; it had to be prepared for and not to be considered lightly. Water had to be gotten together, that water had to be heated, a room had to be arranged for, and a good deal of effort gone into to get that bath on the schedule. Once a week was often enough, (Continued On Page Two)

HOW MUCH DO YOU LIKE THE MESSENGER?

Ernest Milton, Treasurer,
Presbyterian Orphans' Home
Barium Springs, N. C.

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IN THE MAIL BAG AND OTHERWISE

Some people, who have been in the habit of getting ties as a Christmas present from a certain individual, didn't receive such an article on December 25, 1936. The reason? Because a friend of the Orphanage sent the institution a \$25.00 Christmas gift, and said that "instead of giving ties for Christmas presents, I'm giving \$25.00 to the Orphanage." If you were among the number failing to receive the usual four-in-hand, did you mind so much?

"If you don't mind," wrote one friend of the Orphanage, "wish you would keep a record of little gifts I send over a period of years, as I want to establish something as a memorial some day if I have good luck." Do we mind keeping that record? You can rest assured that it's going to be a pleasure. And, by the way, those "little" gifts that he referred to in his letter have amounted to \$177.50 in the short space of four months! According to our idea of the meaning of the word "little" that adjective certainly can't be applied to \$177.50. If there are others who want to establish a memorial by sending the Orphanage contributions over a period of years, we'll be very happy to keep a detailed record of them. If necessary, we'll invest in a ledger to keep "tab" on such contributions.

In addition to that special long-term memorial that is to be established, we have received \$449.55 in the past 11 months in other memorial sums, the majority of which were sent to the Orphanage in lieu of flowers to the funerals of friends. Not all of them are sent instead of floral designs. Several were gifts in memory of loved ones and close friends who were claimed by death some time ago. One individual wrote, "Remembering at this time how much interested mother always was in Barium, I am enclosing a small check in her memory." A father and mother, whose daughter met an untimely death in an automobile wreck, sent Barium \$25.00 in her memory at Christmas-time. Another friend has started the custom of annually sending the Orphanage a memorial gift on the anniversary date of the death of a close friend. Several other instances of gifts could be cited, which are keeping alive the memory of those who are no longer with us on this earth.

There's a friend of Barium's who sends the Orphanage a dollar every month, and maintains that he gets a great "kick" out of doing this. Accompanying one of his contributions was a letter to everybody at Barium, in the course of which he wrote, "I, of course, realize that a dollar per month is a mere pittance. However, with a man who already has a full and complete load, it is a sacrifice for me every month, but that brings

the blessing indeed. I fully believe that it has added days and probably will add years to my life. My desire is to convey a ray of love to each one there, even to the tots in all the cottages, and to assure each of my every thought of everyone there, even to the janitors." A knowledge of the sacrifice involved in this monthly gift of \$1.00 and the blessings that has come to this individual makes us all the more appreciative.

You've been reading a great deal in the newspapers recently about the "sit-downers." We have some flagrant and frequent "sit-downers" at Barium, but they aren't striking. We're referring to the 287 pullets at our chicken farm. They did anything but strike in January and February, months when the egg production is normally very low. During those two months (and February had only 28 days in it) the record shows that 10,775 eggs were gathered in, and that's almost 900 dozen eggs in two months from 287 pullets. The fire in September, 1935, destroyed about \$2,000 worth of hay that was a very delectable repast in the eyes of the cattle; the cold killed our peaches in the summer of 1936 and thus eliminated that delicious fruit in the eyes of the children here, but in 1937 the pullets have started a "prosperity" movement that we hope is an omen of other fruitage in the offing.

There are now 11 friends of the Orphanage who send a monthly gift direct to the Orphanage or permit us to draw a draft upon their banks, and the total from those 11 amounts to \$117.50 a month, which is \$1,410.00 in a year's time. In addition to those monthly contributors, there's another friend who sends \$150.00 a quarter, one who sends \$200.00 a quarter and several who make definite annual contributions ranging from \$1.00 to \$500.00. Starting off in 1937 was one individual who sent \$10.00 with the statement that "I hope that I will be able to send this amount monthly during 1937." A boy and girl, who are now five and six years old, respectively, have increased their monthly gift from \$1.50 to \$2.00. They started sending this when they were four and five years of age. Coming back to the original sentence of this paragraph, the \$1,410.00 from these 11 people shows you how quickly monthly gifts "run into" big money.

Two pastors sent us contributions from individuals in their community about Thanksgiving time, and accompanied the gifts with very interesting letters about the donors. One pastor wrote, "I am sending check for \$2.00. This comes from _____, who is a confirmed invalid. She has been bedridden for several years." The other pastor wrote, "The enclosed check for \$5.00 is a gift to the

Cottage News

ANNIE LOUISE

Dear Friends,
We were delighted to see the beautiful snow. Miss McGoogan made us some snow cream, and we enjoyed it very much.

Betty Williams, of Lenoir, has come to live with us. She seems to like it real well, and hasn't been home sick a minute.

We are very proud that 14 of our girls have just recited the Child's Catechism. Here are the ones:

Martha Price
Myrtle Rushing
Hannah Price
Ernestine Baldwin
Dudley Monroe
June Gray
Mildred Monroe
Lee Vinson
Helen Hawley
Betty Lou Davis
Janie Smith
Lillian Cranfill
Patricia Hooten
Jean McDonald

All of these are studying the Shorter Catechism now, and the rest of us are studying the Child's Catechism.

Two of our girls, Martha Price and Elizabeth Robards, were in a recital last week at the home of Mrs. Earl Davis of Statesville. They both had a number to play and came out very well.

Two of our girls, Lucille Stricklin and Hannah Price, go to the show this month for making the highest average in school.

We want to thank Mr. Sams for inviting us to see Jane Withers in "The Holy Terror". We enjoyed the picture very much.

We have only two more months of school. And here's hoping we all make our grades.

—Louise Brock
—Martha Price

LEE'S COTTAGE

We were all happy over the snow that we found on the ground Sunday morning. Some of us had new sleds that we got for Christmas and had never had a chance to try them out. We also made some snow cream.

Our good friend, Mr. Sams, manager of The Playhouse in Statesville, invited us to see Jane Withers in "The Holy Terror," and we all thought it was a good picture.

Charles Starling is recovering nicely from an operation on his foot.

We are planning on playing the Alexander boys in basketball and having a wrestling match with them, too. We will tell you in our next news who wins out.

It has been a long time since we have heard from John and Charles Nungezer in Florida, and Dallas Williams in Idaho. We

Orphanage from a member of another denomination, but who reads The Messenger regularly, inasmuch as it comes into her home. Her husband is a member of my church. He tells me that she eagerly looks forward to each copy of The Messenger and for some time has been wanting to do something, as the enclosed gift certainly testifies. I might say that this is really a gift of love, inasmuch as Mrs. _____ is in an invalid condition at present - in bed with bad heart." Don't those two gifts cheer your heart?

"I will soon be 88 years old and in good health. Bless the Lord." That was part of a few words that were written by the donor of a \$5.00 Thanksgiving Offering - a friend who has helped the Home through all the years since it was founded in 1891. We can but wish for him many more years and perfect health on this earth. This brings to mind an invalid minister who is now 82 years of age, and every year he personally goes forward and drops his pennies into the Birthday Box for the Orphanage for each one of the many and useful years he has lived.

Good fortune and blessings are oftentimes accepted as a matter of course. This is not true in all instances, though. Not long ago we received a \$10.00 gift accompanied by a letter from the donor who wrote, "The Great Benefactor has permitted me some extra prosperity recently and I want the Orphanage to share with my own children therein." How fine it would be if all of us would remember Him in the blessings that come to us, and share in His work with the material prosperity that is ours!

hope they will see this and write to us.

Gastonia Alessandrini enjoyed a visit from his father Saturday. James Porter and David Burney have decided to go into the chicken business. They have eight baby chicks and one bantam hen.

We are making a work shop in our basement. A friend of ours made it possible for us to buy some tools for it. We know that we are going to enjoy working in it.

Spring is close at hand. We will soon be very busy on the truck farm. We have an outdoor basketball court and a new basketball. That gives us a chance for practice when the weather is fair.

BABY COTTAGE

Hello Folks!

Since writing last time two of our babies, Kathleen Monroe and Douglas Davis, have had their tonsils taken out.

Today Mr. J. B. Johnston sent us to see "Shirley Temple" in "Stowaway." We enjoyed it lots.

We were glad to have Mrs. Steele, Mary Francis and Mrs. Montgomery come to see us today. We liked the animal crackers they brought us.

We have enjoyed the sunshine now for two days and we play out of doors even if it is cold.

We were so glad to have Mr. and Mrs. McKenzie and Mrs. Oliva, of Seranton, Pa., pay us a short visit. They are holding Bible Classes in Statesville.

Today is Helen Price's (one of our big sisters) birthday, so we tried to make it a happy day for her. Mama O'Kelly cooked her a lovely Devil's food cake. Mama McGirt and Aunt Lilly fixed us a grand supper. We were glad to have Misses Sadie Brandon and Fay Stevenson have supper with us.

We all had a lovely surprise Valentine from Miss Carpenter. We

were so excited we almost forgot to eat our supper.

Mr. Brown preached at the First Presbyterian Church of Statesville today and Rev. Geo. W. Hanna preached for us a splendid sermon on the subject, "Remember Lot's Wife". We sure did enjoy it.

On Monday a new member was added to our family. His name is Hurman Smith.

Mama took Misses Moore and Johnston, Bobby Allen and Virginia Presnell to around Taylorsville. Bobby and Virginia went for reciting the Catechism. Hurman went, too.

One of our big sisters went with Mama Girt to the show.

Monday night they had an Auxiliary meeting over here. The program was about the "Congo". It was given in play form by six girls. We all enjoyed it.

We had the Birthday table today and two of our children went. We got out of school at lunch time and were we glad! The tournament has begun and we will not have study hall anymore until Tuesday night.

We were fortunate to have Misses Green and Thompson have supper with us tonight.

Kenneth Mayhew had a visit from his mother and other friends today.

It was so rainy today that Miss Reid came over and had Sunday School at our cottage.

Pretty sunshine today but "ugh" is it cold?

Aunt Lilly's nieces spent the week-end with us. We hope they enjoyed the visit. We were sure glad to have them.

So long.

—The Babies

ALEXANDER

Oh Yeah! This is Alexander news. It has been so long since our cottage news has appeared in The Messenger that we will make up (Continued On Page Three)

THE TROUBLE-SHOOTING DEPARTMENT

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and in severe winters, a good many week ends went by without the bath.

Well, Barium Springs, up until about 1924, lived strictly by the Saturday night bath, and in the warmer months of the year, a mid-week bath was also arranged for. It was not an easy thing even to arrange for those. But along about 1924 two things took place. One was a circulating hot-water system that was installed at Barium, making hot water available every day in the week. The other was the growing popularity for athletics, and a vigorous team of any description has to have a bath right afterwards to round out a perfect day. These two things have resulted in a tremendous increase in the use of water at Barium.

In 1922, for instance, one well supplied the water for Barium with 232 children. At the present time, it takes three wells working pretty well up to capacity, to supply the water needs for 311 children; and nowadays we do not mark on the calendar the days that we take a bath. Most of us just take one every day to be sure; and all of this adds materially to Mr. Grier's responsibility and work.

Then, after using all that water, it has to go somewhere. And there is where the underground department comes in - the sewer system. Most of us just don't like to think about that sort of a system, but quite often it insists on getting into the picture. When it is stopped, for instance, and sometimes the things on the campus that we admire most bring about these sewer complications. We are referring to our beautiful maple trees.

Now, our campus in the fall of the year is the most beautiful thing in the world. The maple trees with beautiful red leaves; and maple trees with beautiful yellow leaves, and we wouldn't harm one of these maple trees for anything in the world. But the roots from these trees just travel on and on, and they search out a sewer line. If they can find the slightest crevice in that line, they get into the sewer pipes, and before you know it, such a mass of roots has gotten into that sewer that it is stopped up! And then those beautiful maple trees lose some of their popularity, and a few more lines are added to Mr. Grier's face. When this happens the sewer line just has to be dug up and replaced with cast iron pipes, or the maple trees in that particular vicinity destroyed. We usually just replace with iron pipes.

Our buildings are heated from a central heating plant and this steam circulating system is a complicated thing. When the engineers laid this out, they just treated every building exactly alike, and they did not notice that the Infirmary and the Baby Cottage were on the extreme end of the line. In other words when steam is gotten up, it reaches the school building and the church first. Then Lee's Cottage, Jennie Gilmer, Synod's, Rumble Hall, and finally around to the Infirmary and the Baby Cottage. Now, at night, these are the last buildings for the steam to cease to be effective but that is long after the children have gone to bed, and they wouldn't mind it anyhow, because they are asleep then.

Mr. Grier has to arrange for steam to be gotten up early enough in the morning to reach the Baby Cottage and the Infirmary by getting up time, and to continue on at night until the last algebra problem is worked out and the last Latin lesson prepared; and then, he has to watch the coal pile, too. In other words, his judgment has to balance between complaints and coal piles, and he usually uses mighty fair judgment in deciding these matters. Just for information, we use between 800 and 900 tons of coal during a normal year.

Mr. Grier has one full-time worker in his department. Will Thomas is his name, who is fireman at the big boiler. He has from four to six boys, usually with one senior, one junior, one sophomore, one freshman and a couple of smaller boys. This crew not only keeps the buildings warm, but they also keep the boiler going at the kitchen, that does our cooking; and in addition to shooting trouble, they do the majority of the painting, both inside and out.

Up until the depression came along this crew did all of the painting. A certain amount was done every year and they would get around before a building got too badly in need of paint. During the extreme curtailment of expense during the depression, the purchase of paint for this activity had to be dropped, and right now, every summer, painters have to be employed to catch up the work that might otherwise have been done by Mr. Grier's group.

Mr. Grier is one of the oldest members of the staff at Barium and is one of the most valuable. To fill his job takes a person with a wide mechanical experience, with most mature and experienced judgment, and above all, he has to be a diplomat. And all of these things, Mr. Grier is, as well as being one of the greatest influences for good in our Community.

Income Distribution

The Auxiliaries of the Synod spurred in February, and showed a decided increase in their giving to the Orphanage. The portion of the regular income contributed to the support fund by the Auxiliaries in 11 months is now 19.8%, which was an increase of nine-tenths of a percent over the report on January 31st. The church budget giving dropped from 35.2% to 34.8%, that from the Sunday Schools was lowered to 45.5% from 45.9%.

When 1935-1936 was concluded, the distribution for the year was 37% from the church budgets, 40.2% from the Sunday Schools, 22.6% from the Auxiliaries and .2% from the Young People's Societies. Watch the final figures for the 1936-1937 to see how this compares with the year before.

To date, the regular total from Synod is \$33,403.71, distributed as follows: Church budgets, \$11,567.59; Sunday Schools, \$15,071.01, and Auxiliaries, \$6,565.41. These same figures, according to Presbyteries, are as follows:

Presbytery Ch.	S. S.	Aux.	
Albe.	\$ 543.77	\$ 737.79	\$ 922.13
Concord	2041.30	2593.58	749.75
Fay.	854.77	2369.40	673.15
Granville	785.92	705.20	509.40
K. Mtn.	466.27	1769.31	531.61
Meck.	3251.26	2484.59	1400.81
Orange	832.68	2163.15	1064.25
Wil.	1427.53	1111.69	270.32
W.-S.	1364.09	1136.30	443.96
To.	\$11,567.59	\$15,071.01	\$6,565.41

BARIUM MATMEN

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(Thomasville) in 3:45, but lost to Silver (Durham) on time decision of 4:20 in the finals.

118-pound—McKenzie drew a bye in the preliminaries, but lost on time decision of 5:15 to Changaris (Durham) in the semi-finals.

125—Capt. Beshears had time advantage of 4:52 over Martin (Durham); a time decision of 4:58 over Jenkins (Thomasville), and pinned Barham (Greensboro) in 5:24 in the finals.

135—E. Bosworth had time advantage of 1:10 over Murdock (Salisbury); a time decision of 45 seconds over Jones (Mount Airy), and a time advantage of 2:47 over Whiteheart (Greensboro) in the finals.

145—Donaldson threw Deaton (Thomasville) in 1:01; pinned Gilbert (Mount Airy) in 2:20, and obtained time advantage of 39 seconds over Chandler (Salisbury) in the finals.

155—Bolton had time of 36 seconds over Donald (Durham); a time advantage of 1:20 over Smith (Mount Airy), but lost in the finals to Langston (Greensboro) on time decision of 1:40.

165—Sigmen lost in the preliminaries to Brandt (Greensboro) on a referee's decision, since neither had a time advantage.

175—Barium had no entries.

Beat Carolina Fresh.

Before returning to the Barium campus, the Orphanage boys added further to their laurels when they trimmed the University of North Carolina freshmen at Chapel Hill, 22 to 3. The Carolina coach had invited the state champions to remain over to meet his freshmen Friday, February 19th. The Barium boys had previously defeated the Davidson College freshmen by decisive scores on two occasions, the only points credited to the Davidson yearlings coming through a forfeiture in each match.

Barium's dual matches of the year show the following results:

Barium	Opponent	Oppon. Score
21½	Salisbury	7½
21	Mount Airy	14
12½	Durham	17½
8	Greensboro	21
14	Salisbury	21
22	Mount Airy	12
29	Davidson Fresh 5	
16	Durham	14
33	Davidson Fresh 5	
22	Carolina Fresh 3	

MECKLENBURG LEADER

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Presbytery	February Receipts	Thanksgiving	Per Mem. Per Mo.	Per Mem. Per Yr
Winston-Salem	\$313.02	\$ 8.00	7 c	142.1c
Albemarle	200.81		4.6c	134.9c
Concord	329.58	4.25	2.9c	134.5c
Kings Mountain	432.84	14.00	7.9c	117.8c
Mecklenburg	831.10	1,023.98	10.7c	108.5c
Orange	358.58	437.06	7 c	104.4c
Granville	262.27	8.30	4.7c	94.2c
Fayetteville	226.77	126.78	2.9c	67 c
Wilmington	205.11	10.50	2.7c	62.3c
SYNOD	\$3,160.11	\$1,632.87	5.9c	103.8c

\$100.00 CLUB HAS 42 MEMBERS IN IT NOW

About 20 Others Expected Before Year Is Over—Other Sunday School Facts

Sunday Schools in Orange and Winston-Salem Presbyteries have already given more to the Orphanage in the past 11 months than was contributed in the full 12 months of 1935-1936, and it appears likely that the Sunday Schools in every Presbytery of the Synod will give more than in 1935-1936.

Kings Mountain Presbytery lacks only \$20.99 of giving as much through the Sunday Schools as in 1935-1936; Wilmington lacks \$80.31; Granville, \$82.46; Albemarle, \$104.52; Mecklenburg, \$318.12; Fayetteville, \$360.59, and Concord, \$488.22.

During the month of February a total of \$1,269.33 was sent by Sunday Schools. Receipts last month included the fifth Sunday Offerings in January, but it did not include any of the fourth Sunday gifts in February, since the fourth Sunday was the final day of the month and those contributions would not arrive until March. As an aside, it might be mentioned that the fourth Sunday gifts for February are going to be considerably less than usual, because of the snow that covered the ground on February 28th.

The record to date shows that the Sunday Schools have given \$1,753.83 more than on February 29, 1936. Some time ago it was predicted that the Sunday Schools would show a \$2,000 increase in their regular giving for the year. Unless every Sunday in March is an inclement one, it would appear that this prediction will materialize into a reality.

Four more Sunday Schools entered the \$100.00 Club in February. These were Marion, McPherson, Cherryville and George W. Lee Memorial. That makes 42 to date. Marion, Cherryville and George W. Lee Memorial are new-comers to the \$100.00 Club. Other new-comers, who were already in that grouping last month, include Vass and Erwin. Approximately 20 more Sunday Schools are expected to attain membership in that classification by the end of March. The 42 which have already given more than \$100.00 are:

Sunday School	Amount
\$600.00 Club	
Concord 1st	\$610.73
\$500.00 Club	
Winston-Salem 1st	557.56
\$300.00 Club	
Greensboro 1st	368.39
Salisbury 1st	345.00
Albemarle	303.48
\$200.00 Club	
Burlington 1st	283.02
Durham	282.08
Shelby	262.08
Tenth Ave	258.48
North Wilkesboro	244.58
Belmont	232.40
Monroe	218.02
Kings Mountain	205.51
\$100.00 Club	
Buffalo (G)	196.37
Laurinburg	192.63
High Point 1st	176.24
Myers Park	174.23
Charlotte 1st	167.40
Statesville 1st	163.71
Rocky Mount 1st	160.58
Rockingham	159.68
Kannapolis	157.72
Gastonia 1st	156.17
St. Paul (F)	148.36
Davidson	135.94
Westminster (O)	128.98
Olivia	122.45
Erwin	120.00
Clarkton	117.99
Vass	115.99
Trinity Avenue	114.75
Mooreville 1st	113.45
Lumberton	112.66
Salisbury 2nd	112.64
Cherryville	111.78
Alamance	110.96
Fayetteville 1st	110.00
McPherson	110.00
Marion	109.54
Rutherfordton	108.04
Graves Memorial	107.10

Two Highest

The two children in each grade who have the highest averages each month are guests of The Playhouse Theatre management in Statesville for any picture they desire to see in the succeeding month. The February issue of The Messenger carried the names of those winning this honor for the fifth month. The two children in each grade averaging the highest for the first four months are as follows:

First Month

First grade—Ernestine Baldwin, Charles Barrett.

Second—Edgar Long, Myrtle Rushing.

Third—Raymond Gcode, Billy Everitt.

Fourth—Jean Fletcher, Lillie Belle Smith.

Fifth—Evelyn Coppedge, Tommie Lindsay.

Sixth—Mott Price, Betty Whitte.

Seventh—Emma Eudy, Grover Ingram.

Eighth—Mary Adams, Howard Beshears.

Ninth—Nancy Parcell, Helen Price.

Tenth—Alice Jones, Martha Adams.

Eleventh—Lucy Bryant, Lelia Johnston.

Second Month

First—Charles Barrett, Lucille Stricklin.

Second—Hannah Price, Myrtle Rushing.

Third—Esau Davis, Billy Everitt.

Fourth—Betty Lou Williamson, Lillie Belle Smith.

Fifth—Bobby Whittle, Billy Ammons.

Sixth—Betty Whittle, Myrtle Mills.

Seventh—Emma Eudy, Ruth Cole.

Eighth—Mary Adams, Mary Penn Lindsay, Arthur Roach.

Ninth—Nellie Johnson, Alice Jones.

Eleventh—Lucy Bryant, Ray Clendenin.

Third Month

First—Ernestine Baldwin, Betty Coffey.

Second—Edgar Long, Dwight Spencer.

Third—Billy Everett, Esau Davis.

Fourth—Wootson Davis, Jean Fletcher.

Fifth—Bobby Whittle, Billie Ammons.

Sixth—Betty Whittle, Mott Price.

Seventh—Emma Eudy, Grover Ingram.

Eighth—Mary Adams, Charles Starling.

Ninth—Rufus Long, Helen Thomas.

Tenth—Nellie Johnston, Alice Jones.

Eleventh—Lelia Johnston, Lucy Bryant.

Fourth Month

First—Ernestine Baldwin, Peggy Coffey.

Second—Dallas Ammons, Hannah Price.

Third—Billy Everett, Esau Davis.

Fourth—Jackie Newnam, Lillie Belle Smith.

Fifth—Bobby Whittle, Evelyn Coppedge.

Sixth—Mott Price, Betty Whittle.

Seventh—Emma Eudy, Sarah Parcell.

Eighth—Mary Penn Lindsay, Charles Starling, Mary Adams.

Ninth—Helen Thomas, Edward Cole.

Tenth—Alice Jones, Nellie Johnston.

Eleventh—Lelia Johnston, Eugene Shannon.

Geo. W. Lee Memorial 100.00

On the basis of ten cents per meal per child, 17,538 more meals could have been served by the Sunday School Offerings to date than in the same period the year before.

The record for the past two years and 11 months is as follows:

Month	'34-'35	'35-'36	'36-'37
April	6,218	4,840	8,589
May	10,659	10,948	11,049
June	9,501	13,178	14,694
July	12,753	13,664	16,554
Aug.	8,762	10,429	11,006
Sept.	14,366	13,166	16,620
Oct.	13,104	19,953	18,811
Nov.	9,641	12,531	12,407
Dec.	17,510	13,114	16,328
Jan.	11,200	10,070	11,957
Feb.	10,544	10,661	12,693
March	31,682	31,352	?
Total	155,940	164,936	150,710

BASKETBALL SEASON IS TERMED SUCCESSFUL

Boys Are Second in South Piedmont Conference—Girls Are in Fourth Position

The basketball season is over, except for local class games and contests between the Barium reserves and a few court teams in this section. The varsity girls participated in 19 games, winning 11, tying one and losing seven; the boys' quint participated in 16 struggles, coping victories in 11, and losing five.

In the South Piedmont conference race, the Barium boys' team was runner up to the championship Kannapolis quintet, and the Orphanage girls ranked fourth in the conference. The Methodist Children's Home sextette of Winston-Salem won the conference title, with Hickory second and Barium third. Twelve games were played with conference foes, the Barium boys winning nine of these and losing three, while the Orphanage girls won eight, tied one and lost three. The boys lost to Hickory once and to Kannapolis twice. The girls lost to Hickory, Concord and Kannapolis once each, and tied the Hickory girls.

The teams participated in the Orphanage Tournament. The boys were eliminated in the first round by Mills Home. The girls won over the Junior Order sextette in the preliminaries, but were defeated in the finals by Children's Home.

Below are the records of the varsity games:

Barium Girls	Opponent	Score
30	Business Women	31
33	Sharon	43
22	Business Women	18
26	Stony Point	40
30	Sharon	29
36	Concord	22
24	Kannapolis	13
18	Lexington	8
36	Hickory	36
39	Mooreville	23
28	Hickory	29
14	Kannapolis	18
26	Statesville	20
22	Nat. Orphanage	18
19	Children's Home	25
37	Concord	24
37	Mooreville	34
27	Lexington	15
20	Statesville	16
Barium Boys	Opponent	Opp. Score
18	Salisbury	24
40	Sharon	22
38	Stony Point	15
33	Concord	12
13	Kannapolis	24
29	Lexington	22
37	Hickory	39
27	Mooreville	26
26	Hickory	21
13	Kannapolis	21
33	Statesville	11
16	Mills Home	22
22	Concord	19
41	Mooreville	33
32	Lexington	28
46	Statesville	7

COTTAGE NEWS

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for lost time.

This has been a bad winter for the dairy boys. We got up every morning before breakfast to take the milk from the cows. It has been so rainy this year that it has made the dairy work harder than it would have been. The mud has been so deep that we had to haul the cows out of the side on sleds! Our new barn sure has come in handy to us this year. It almost stays as warm as our cottage does.

The other day, Ralph Spencer, our assistant dairy boss, put his hand on a cow and told Thomas Morgan she could not kick him then. As Thomas stepped in, the cow let her foot go and out sailed Thomas. He looked up at Ralph and said, "Did you say that cow couldn't kick?"

Our basketball and wrestling season is about over now. For the fourth year in succession our wrestlers have won the state championship. And, it looks like we will end up second in the basketball conference. Our sports this year, as a whole, have been very successful.

As we woke up this morning to our surprise there was a blanket of snow eight or nine inches deep. Everytime it snows or any ice forms on the ground "Punkin" Wilson gets out his sled and is ready to go. We haven't had but two snows this winter, and we certainly are glad we have not had more.

Honor Roll

The February issue of The Messenger contained the names of boys and girls on the honor roll for the 4th school month of 1936-1937. Those in the honor roll grouping for the first four months are as follows:

First Month

Second grade—Dallas Ammons, Edgar Long, Hannah Price, Myrtle Rushing.

Sixth—Mott Price.

Seventh—Emma Eudy, Grover Ingram.

Ninth—Nancy Parcell.

Tenth—Martha Adams.

Eleventh—Lucy Bryant, Lucile Burney, Olive Gaskill, Margaret Hendrix, Lelia Johnston, Julius Kinard, Janie Lyons, Eugene Shannon.

Second Month

Second—Edgar Long, Hannah Price, Myrtle Rushing.

Fifth—Bobby Whittle.

Sixth—Myrtle Mills, Mott Price, Betty Whittle.

Seventh—Ruth Cole, Emma Eudy, Grover Ingram, Sarah Parcell.

Ninth—Eleanor Eudy, Helen Thomas.

Tenth—Nellie Johnson, Alice Jones.

Eleventh—Lucy Bryant, Lucile Burney, Ray Clendenin, Olive Gaskill, Margaret Hendrix, Clayborne Jessup, Lelia Johnston, Julius Kinard, Janie Lyons, Grace Roberts, Eugene Shannon, Laura Smith.

Third Month

First—Peggy Coffey.

Second—Dallas Ammons, Edgar Long, Hannah Price, Myrtle Rushing, Dwight Spencer.

Third—Billy Everett.

Fourth—Wootson Davis, Jean Fletcher.

Fifth—Bobby Whittle.

Sixth—Louise Brock, Joe Ben Gibbs, George Lewis, Myrtle Mills, Mott Price, Betty Whittle.

Seventh—Grover Ingram.

Eighth—Mary Adams, Charles Starling.

Ninth—Helen Thomas.

Tenth—Miller Blue, Eugene Bosworth, Nelson Farmer, Nellie Johnson, Alice Jones.

Eleventh—Lucile Burney, Lucy Bryant, Margaret Hendrix, Lelia Johnston, Julius Kinard, Janie Lyons, Bobby Marlowe, Eugene Shannon.

Fourth Month

Second—Dallas Ammons, Edgar Long, Hannah Price, Myrtle Rushing, Dwight Spencer.

Third—Billy Everett.

Fourth—Jean Fletcher, Jackie Newnam, Lillie Belle Smith.

Fifth—Bobby Whittle.

Sixth—Louise Brock, George Lewis, Myrtle Mills, Mott Price, Betty Whittle.

Seventh—Geraldine Blue, Emma Eudy, Grover Ingram, Sarah Parcell.

Ninth—Henry Alessandrini, Mildred Eudy, William Smith, Helen Thomas.

Eleventh—Lucy Bryant, Lucile Burney, Lelia Johnston, Grace Roberts, Laura Smith.

We have two new boys at our cottage now. Their names are Roscoe and Corris Smith. They certainly are splendid boys. Both of them are in the third grade.

Billy Brock, who has been ill for the last seven months, is up and running around. We are certainly glad that he is one of us again.

Ralph Spencer is in charge of the cottage now.

Capt. Jackins, our dairy boss, "has went and got himself" married since we last wrote you. He could not

BASKETBALL TOURNEY STAGED IN FEBRUARY

Scotts Girls and Dobson Boys
Were Crowned Champions.-
Many Spirited Games

Basketball teams of the Scotts girls and Dobson boys were crowned champions of the 1937 Mid-Piedmont Basketball tournament which was concluded at Barium Springs on Monday night, February 22nd. This was the sixth annual tournament, in which 32 basketball contingents are enrolled and the title-holders for the current year won that distinction for the first time since the affair was inaugurated in 1932. Sharon (Mecklenburg) was defending the boys' title and the Catawba girls tried to avert losing their 1936 crown. Sharon was eliminated in the first go-round and the Catawba girls went down in the semi-finals.

Scott's girls won over Mocksville in the finals, 25 to 13, the web-like defense of the Scotts guards preventing the smaller Mocksville forwards from getting close to the basket throughout most of the game. Scotts had previously defeated Roaring River, 19 to 3, Rock Springs, 17 to 13, and Berryhill, 20 to 15, before they met the Davie County sextette.

The boys' finals were closer than the girls' game, with both Dobson and Mocksville possessing rangy, smooth-working quints. Dobson showed a third-quarter spurt that decided the tussle, for the Mocksville quint was outpointed, 12 to 3, and could never overcome that advantage though a sensational rally was started five minutes before the game terminated. In winning its crown, Dobson eliminated Troutman, 17 to 8, Celeste Henkel, 31 to 10, and Startown, 27 to 17.

When the finals were over, several awards were made by Jos. B. Johnston, superintendent of the Orphanage. Included were trophies to the championship teams of Scotts and Dobson for permanent possession and a loving cup which they retain until next February when it will be defended; gold basketballs to the team members of the victorious aggregations, and silver basketballs to the members of the runner-up contestants.

Foul-shooting trophies went to Estelene Pope, of Sharon (Iredell), who caged 22 out of 25 attempts, and M. Hatcher, of Berryhill, won the boys' trophy, with 18 out of 25 tries. The former's award was presented Monday night; the one to Hatcher being given at the semi-finals since he would not attend the final games. Mr. Johnston exhibited some medals which have been sent to the five boys and six girls selected as all-stars of the tournament. The selection of these was made by officials. The 11 performers selected as outstanding were as follows:

Boys: Forwards, J. Ferebee (Mocksville) and Comer (Dobson); center, Lancaster (Dobson); guards, Sherrill (Startown) and Williams (Berryhill).

Girls: Forwards, Smith (Mocksville) and Moore (Catawba); jumping center, Nesbit (Woodleaf); side center, A. Pegram (Berryhill); guards, Jennie Sherrill (Scotts) and Janie Sherrill (Scotts).

The 32 teams playing in the tournament came from within a radius of over 100 miles of the Orphanage, Dobson traveling 62 miles to play in the tournament four days. The preliminaries were held Tuesday, February 18th, when 16 teams were eliminated; there were eight games in the quarter-finals and eight more teams went down on Friday night. The semi-finals were staged on Saturday. Many close tilts were played, but it was not necessary for any to go into extra period rounds.

Results of the tournament follow:

Preliminaries.

Girls—Mocksville 20, Sharon (Iredell) 18; Huntersville 17, Cool Springs 10; Woodleaf 30, Ball's Creek 22; Catawba 23, Cornelius 8; Scotts 19, Roaring River 3; Rock Springs 26, Bain 23; Berryhill 23, Stony Point 11; Troutman 24, Claremont 20.

Boys—Dobson 17, Troutman 8; Celeste Henkel 25, Sherrill's Ford 16; Startown 30, Newell 6; Berryhill 35, Mount Pleasant 10; Paw Creek 21, Stony Point 8; Scotts 16, North Brook 14; Catawba 25,

Huntersville 12; Mocksville 44, Sharon (Mecklenburg) 5.

Quarter-Finals.

Girls—Mocksville 24, Huntersville 23; Catawba 23, Woodleaf 10; Scotts 17, Rock Springs 13; Berryhill 14, Troutman 11.

Boys—Dobson 31, Celeste Henkel 10; Startown 24, Berryhill 21; Paw Creek 26, Scotts 11; Mocksville 17, Catawba 15.

Semi-Finals.

Girls—Mocksville 23, Catawba 22; Scotts 20, Berryhill 15.

Boys—Dobson 27, Startown 17; Mocksville 25, Paw Creek 8.

Finals.

Girls—Scotts 25, Mocksville 15.

Boys—Dobson 33, Mocksville 27.

Barium teams do not participate, but act as hosts during the tournament. Each member of the two Orphanage basketball squads is assigned a particular team among the 32 contestants and ministers to the wants of their guests while they are at the tournament. The attendance last month was the best of the six years that it has been in progress. The profits made at the gate and at the refreshment stand, operated in conjunction with the tournament, help to support the recreational activities at the Orphanage.

CHURCHES AHEAD

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Mocksville, Mount Airy, Obids, Pilot Mountain, Pine Hall, Pine Ridge, Reynolda, Rocky Ridge, West Jefferson.

REGULAR

CORRECTIONS: The \$28.00 Thanksgiving Offering credited to McKinnon Sunday School in the January issue of The Messenger should have been recorded as coming from Rocky River Church.

The \$1.00 Memorial gift, listed in the February Messenger as coming personally from Miss Mamie McIntyre, Godwin, should have been credited as being given by the Godwin Auxiliary.

The \$2.00 listed in the December issue of The Messenger as a special gift from the Grassy Creek Auxiliary should have been credited as a Thanksgiving Offering.

Clothing Boxes

Macclesfield Aux. (Balance).
Columbus Aux. & C. E. received before Thanksgiving but was not turned in to the office for record.

Miscellaneous Gifts

Mitchell College, Statesville, 48 yards bias tape, 41 skeins of crochet thread, 4 yards lace.
W. M. Reynolds, Winston-Salem, 27 pounds pork sausage.
T. L. Green, Statesville, Magazines.
Mrs. J. J. Cowares, Hickory, Papers and magazines.
Shelby 1st Aux., 2 quilts.
Mrs. J. A. Patterson, Winston-Salem, 1 quilt.
Cameron Hill Church, 1 quilt.
Bethel (M) Church, 33 quarts fruit, 58 quarts vegetables and pickles.
Lexington 1st Aux., Circle 3, 1 quilt.
Matthews Aux., 1 quilt.
Monroe 1st Aux., 12 blankets for Annie Louise Cottage.

Clothing Money

Concord 1st Aux., Circle 9	67.00
Covenant (O) Aux.	25.00
Durham 1st Aux.	30.00
Fountain Aux.	7.50
Graves Memorial Aux.	25.00
Greensboro 1st Aux., Circle 10	21.00
Grove (W) Aux.	3.00
Howard Memorial Aux., Mrs. Mabry Hart	4.00
Mrs. Job Cobb	8.00
Mrs. Geo. Holderness	8.50
King's Daughters, Salisbury	5.00
Lincolnton Aux.	30.00
Lumber Bridge Aux.	8.00
Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Booth, Charlotte	5.00
New Bern 1st Aux.	15.00
Smithfield Aux.	15.00
Thyatira Aux.	7.00
Trinity Avenue Aux.	35.00
Washington 1st, Beg. & Pri. Dept.	4.22
Total Clothing	\$323.22

Miscellaneous

H. M. McAllister, Lumberton	12.50
F. P. Tate, Morganton	6.00
A. E. Scharrer, Hickory	5.00
Rev. James Appleby, Maxton	1.00
Mrs. Clarence Hodson, East Orange, N. J.	100.00
Friends	5.00
A Friend	100.00
H. B. Summerell, Burlington	10.00
A Friend	5.00
A Friend	50.00
Phil & Emilie Willer, Kannapolis	2.00
Sallie Ramseur, Morganton	2.00
T. Henry Wilson, Morganton	50.00
Total Miscellaneous	\$348.50

Memorials

In Memory of George Bright, Elizabeth City:	
Cann Memorial Auxiliary	5.00
In Memory of Fred E. Bradley, Asheville:	
Jsidore Wallace, Statesville	5.00
F. A. Sherrill, Statesville	5.00
In Memory of Margaret Newell, of Newell, who died Feb. 4, 1935:	
Mrs. Wm. Gordon Smith, Thomasville	2.00
In Memory of A. F. Floyd, Fairmont:	
Mrs. Martha J. Grantham, Fairmont	5.00
In Memory of Mrs. E. P. Liles, Lilesville:	
Mrs. Emmett Crook, Charlotte	3.00
In Memory of Rev. Peter McIntyre, Goldsboro:	
Mr. & Mrs. Wm. H. Best and Miss Mary Scott Munroe, Goldsboro	10.00
In Memory of Mrs. J. J. Bowen, Raleigh:	
John G. Allen, Raleigh	5.00
In Memory of Mrs. Phil R. Carlton, Greensboro:	
Mrs. W. E. White & W. E. White, Jr., Graham	10.00
Total Memorials	\$50.00

For Messenger

Mrs. J. T. Northam, Lillington	1.00
J. R. Gaither, Newton	2.00
E. J. House, Marion	1.00
Mrs. G. L. Cook, Charlotte	2.00
Mrs. Martha Hall, Saint Pauls	1.50
R. G. Lea, Greensboro	1.00
A Friend	2.00
Total Messenger	\$10.50

Churches

Alamance	3.75
Antioch (F)	5.00
Belmont	116.00
Bessemer	3.27
Bethany (C)	.93
Bethany (O)	2.93
Bethel (O)	2.25
Bethesda (O)	7.87
Blacknall Memorial	3.75
Burlington 1st, Regular	30.00
Special	4.89
Charlotte 2nd	130.00
Covenant (O)	6.75
Cross Roads	1.28
Davidson	30.00
Edenton	1.72
Falkland	.69
First Vanguard	.75
Foster Memorial	.30
Fountain	.84
Franklin	.75
Gilwood	1.41
Grassy Creek	2.60
Greenville	13.80
Harmony (C)	.84
Henderson	1.88
Hickory 1st	23.31
Jefferson	1.05
Jonesboro	1.00
Kannapolis	3.90
Kenly	.75
Kings Mountain 1st	16.00
Lansing	1.13
Lenoir, A Friend	20.00
Lexington 1st, Special	13.84
Littleton	1.12
Marion	5.63
Maxton 1st	37.05
Mebane	17.46
Mooreville 1st	26.13
Nut Bush	1.88
Oak Hill	5.32
Oakland	3.45
Oxford	10.36
Patterson	.82
Plaza, Special	7.69
Poplar Tent	3.00
Prospect	2.45
Raleigh 1st	32.25
Rocky Mount 1st	13.00
Rocky River	.69
Saint Andrews (W), Jan.	36.00
Salisbury 2nd	3.43
Sanford	24.84
Shiloh (O)	3.00
Spencer	4.36
Third Creek	2.14
Washington 1st, Regular	13.80
Special	5.77
West Raleigh, Church & Auxiliary	50.29
Wilmington 1st, Jan.	65.36
Winston-Salem 1st	150.00

Sunday Schools

Ahoskie	3.85
Alamance	9.01
Albemarle	29.22
Amity	7.00
Asheboro	5.20
Ashpole	1.77
Ashwood	3.00
Badin, Ladies' B. C.	2.00
Baker's	1.55
Belmont, 3 Months	86.00
Bethany (C)	2.68
Bethel (M)	2.47
Bethesda (F)	10.15
Bethesda (O)	4.45
Buffalo (L)	3.21
Burgaw, Dec. & Jan.	7.50
Burlington 1st, Dec.	16.72
Jan.	20.26
Feb.	26.55
Burlington 2nd	7.51
Centre (C)	7.21
Charlotte 1st, Men's Fellowship Club	15.00
Cherryville	14.20
Church-in-the-Pines	4.58
Concord Iredell	6.00
Conley Memorial	1.26
Crumerton, Men's B. C.	19.00
Culdee	1.77
Cypress	2.00
Dallas	2.36
Delgado	6.72
Durham 1st	13.50
Elizabethtown, Oct., Dec. & Jan.	16.18
Ellerbe	3.22
Erwin	13.00
Farmville (A)	4.25
Fayetteville 1st	10.00
Forest City	2.25
Fountain	2.41
Front Street, Jan.	5.13
Gastonia 1st, Men's B. C., Dec. & Jan.	27.91
George W. Lee Memorial	25.05
Gilwood, Jan.	3.11
Feb.	2.37
Graves Memorial	7.10
Greensboro 1st, Men's B. C.	27.25
Senior Boys' Class, Special	7.00
Greenville	4.00
Hallsville	2.00
Harmony (C)	3.78
Hopewell (M) Dec.	2.45
Jan.	1.66
Howard Memorial	4.93
Iron Station, 3rd quarter	2.80
Jackson Springs, Jan.	7.34
Jefferson	2.32
Kings Mountain, Jan.	14.15
Feb.	17.44
Lakeview, Dec.	.96
Jan.	2.11
Laurinburg, Jan.	15.35
Lincolnton	17.46
Lumber Bridge, Jan.	1.00
Feb.	1.58
Machpelah	1.00
Madison	9.07
Marion	10.60
McMillan	1.42
McPherson, Jan. & Feb.	20.00
Mocksville, Jan.	9.18
Monroe	25.00
Montpelier, Jan.	8.45
Mooreville 1st	6.25
Morven, July through Jan.	43.20
Mount Gilead	4.50
Mount Pisgah, Jan. & Feb.	4.00
Myers Park	59.84
Nahalal	2.00
New Bern 1st	3.94
Men's B. C.	3.95
New Hope (KM), Dec. & Jan.	14.51
New Hope (O)	2.00
New Hope (W), Jan.	3.00
Feb.	3.00
North Wilkesboro	22.15
Olivia, Jan.	16.43
Olney, Jan. & Feb.	22.00
Parkton	11.50
Pearsall Memorial	7.00
Pinetops	2.13
Pittsboro	1.25
Pocket, Jan.	2.25
Pollockville, Dec.	3.00
Jan.	2.20
Feb.	1.39
Prospect	7.25
Raleigh 1st, Moment Class	6.75
Red House, Junior Class	.56
Reidsville, Jan.	10.00
Rockingham	18.70
Rocky Mount 1st, Jennie K. Hill	5.00
Rocky Mount 2nd	5.51
Rocky Point, Jan.	2.00
Rowland	4.72
Saint Andrews (O)	6.00
Saint Andrews (W), Jan.	5.25
Saint Paul (F), Jan.	11.09
Saint Paul (M)	27.73
Salisbury 1st, Rumpel B. C.	5.00
Woman's B. C.	5.00
Brotherhood B. C., Dec.	25.00
Saluda	1.30
Sanford, Jan.	11.23
Shelby 1st	22.33
Spray	7.00
Statesville 1st, Jan.	17.42
Sunnyside	2.08
Thomasboro	10.12
Thyatira	5.95
Trinity Avenue	13.00
Union (KM)	2.50
Union Mills	3.90
Varina, Jan., Feb. & Mar.	3.00
Vass	8.43
Warrenton	6.82
Washington 1st	3.25
Vanguard Class	1.00

West End, Dec.	4.00
Jan.	4.44
Westminster (M)	38.04
Westminster (O)	17.07
Willard	4.35
Williamston, Dec. & Jan.	2.93
Yanceyville, Jan. & Feb.	6.70

Auxiliaries

Acme	3.00
Alamance	4.50
Antioch (F), Special	1.55
Asheboro	4.68
Bayless Memorial, 3rd quarter	3.00
Bethany (O)	5.00
Bethpage, last half of year	6.00
Blacknall Memorial	35.00
Caldwell Memorial	10.30
Cann Memorial	1.00
Carthage, Feb. & Mar., Circles	8.00
Charlotte 1st	11.25
Charlotte 2nd, Special by the late Mrs. W. F. Camp	200.00
Circle 4	90.00
Clarkton	7.10
Concord 1st	30.90
Cooleemee	12.00
Covenant (O)	8.00
Cypress	1.00
Elkin	1.00
Erwin, Circles, Feb. & March	6.00
Faison	7.50
Fountain, Jan., Feb. & Mar.	6.90
Gastonia 1st	11.00
Glade Valley	10.00
Glen Alpine	1.28
Goldsboro	22.00
Greensboro 1st, Regular	7.94
Bethany Circle	1.00
Hamlet	9.38
High Point 1st, Circles	7.90
Howard Memorial, Regular	6.00
Special	5.00
Jonesboro, Regular	1.60
Special	1.85
Kings Mountain 1st, Circles, 3rd quarter	12.00
Matthews	5.63
Monroe, last half of year	18.75
Morganton	9.00
New Bern 1st	6.00
Newell, Oct. through March	12.00
Newton, Special, Circle 4	1.00
Oxford, Dec. through March	16.00
Pinetops, 4th quarter	6.00
Pink Hill, Hebron & Smiths, Special	1.00
Raleigh 1st, Regular budget	27.00
Circles	10.00
Reynolda	65.00
Roanoke Rapids	10.00
Rocky Mount 1st, A Friend	20.00
Circles	11.00
Penny-a-Day	2.45
Salisbury 1st	19.25
Shelby 1st, Circles	4.90
Smithfield	7.00
Spindale	3.00
Statesville 1st	14.25
Thomasboro, Special	10.00
Thyatira, Jan.	2.00
Westminster (M)	18.75
Westminster (O)	8.00
Williams' Memorial, Circle 1	5.00
Williamston, 4th quarter	3.60
Wilmore	7.50
Wilson 1st, Penny-a-Day	8.62
Winter Park	10.90

Y. P. Societies

Wilmore Sr. C. E.	5.00
Total Regular	\$3,160.11

THANKSGIVING Churches

Bethany (O)	77.46
Bostic	9.00
Charlotte 1st	451.75
Charlotte 2nd	9.00
Covenant (F)	7.85
Eagle Springs	4.00
Elise	1.23
Haywood, Mrs. T. F. Womble, Apex	2.00
Lake Waccamaw	10.50
Myers Park	341.00
Old Fort	1.75
Pineville	9.00
Plaza	67.23
Red House	20.00
Rowland	100.00
Roxboro	8.30
White Hill	1.00
Yadkinville	8.00

Sunday Schools

Burlington 1st	333.60
Old Fort	2.50